

FOX HUNTING FORBIDDEN IN PEA RIVER PROJECT TILL OCT.

Fox hunting in the Pea River Project in Coffee and Dale Counties will be discontinued until the regular open season which begins October 1, 1940, according to B. C. Morgan, chief of the game and fish division of the State Conservation Department, Montgomery.

Game management practices, including predator control, are under way in the Pea River area, Morgan said. Steel traps are set out all over the reservation and hunting dogs are liable to be caught and injured, he said.

Morgan advised all dog owners to keep their dogs out of the area to avoid possible injury. The game warden in charge of the reservation has been instructed to stop the fox hunting.

SMITH BROTHERS will give you one 24-pound sack of Good Flour for 1 bushel Shelled Corn.

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VICTORIA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Higgins and little daughter of Thompson, Ala., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bouwell.

Miss Pearl Dyes and Mr. John E. Spurlin were happily married last Thursday night.

Miss Lillian Wise was the dinner guest of Miss Edna Head Sunday.

Miss Vera Nell and Norma Goodson were weekend guests of Miss Cammie Parrish.

Mr. L. F. Parrish visited his mother near New Hope Sunday night.

Mrs. Bill Thomas visited Mrs. J. N. Hurston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. W. Thomas were dinner guests of Mrs. Mattie Lee Thomas Sunday.

Mrs. C. R. Wise has returned to her home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Thomas.

Miss Myrtle Thomas visited her grandmother, Mrs. Mandy Boutwell, Sunday.

LIONS CLUB OBSERVES LADIES NIGHT

The Elba Lions Club composed of young business men of the city, observed ladies night with a love ball banquet in charge of the Home Economics II class of Elba High School in the vocational building on Tuesday evening.

The Valentine idea was attractively carried out in the decorations and in the menu.

As the guests assembled, they were presented out hearts to match for dinner parties.

A program of clever contests furnished entertainment and a feature attraction was a picture show of the football boys which was presented by E. P. Gieger.

A large number of visitors were present on this delightful occasion.

A CORRECTION

In reporting the death of Mrs. Florence Young, highly esteemed Elba woman, wife of Mr. Jim C. Young, last week, The Clipper made a mistake in saying that her death was caused from an attack of pneumonia, and that she had been ill only two days.

Mrs. Young had been seriously ill for more than two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Young, where she had made her home for the past two years. She died at her home in Elba on Tuesday night.

We were misinformed and gladly make the correction.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

The Ada Marley Circle of the Methodist Missionary Society met at the church on Monday afternoon, February 19th, at 3 o'clock for a continuation of the Bible study course, "Songs of Zion."

Mrs. J. M. Rowe, president, presided and opened the meeting with the song, "I am Thine" followed by prayer by Mrs. A. C. French.

Minutes were read by Mrs. Rose Harwell, secretary.

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THE CURTIS 7th and 9th GRADES

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.

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CASH IN ADVANCE

ALABAMA FARM INCOME WAS LOWEST IN 5 YEARS IN 1939

AUBURN, Ala.—Alabama farm income dropped in 1939 to the lowest level in the past five years and the total income from crops, livestock, and Government payments was \$112,710,000, or \$110 per farm, John L. Liles, Jr., Extension Service economist at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, said today.

Liles said the income from marketing crops and livestock was \$89,110,000 or \$130 per farm and the total income from crops, livestock, and Government payments was \$27,200,000, or an average of \$100 per farm. Income from crops and livestock was 18.4 per cent less than in 1938, but the increase in Government payments more than made up for the decline under the point where the decline under 1938 was only 6.3 per cent.

Government A.A.A. payments of \$100 per farm earned by farmers for adopting soil building practices and reducing the acreage of cotton and other depleting crops was high in 1939 as compared to 1937, when they averaged \$37 per farm, and to 1935 when they averaged \$60 per farm, the economist pointed out.

Liles attributed the low income of the State's farmers largely to low yields caused by adverse weather. As a whole, he said, prices were favorable but the volume of production going to market was materially reduced.

He added that farmers as a group have less cash reserve in 1939 than in previous years. Careful planning to produce more necessities in the way of food and feed on the farm and wise expenditure of available money will be necessary to make smaller incomes cover the farm expenses.

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In the Matter of the Estate of M. V. R. Farris, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was duly appointed administrator of the estate of M. V. R. Farris, deceased, on February 15, 1940, by the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, and all persons having claims against said estate shall present the same within the making of the return and provided by law, else the same will be barred.

This 23rd day of February, 1940.

F. M. FARRIS, Administrator.

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Miss Norma Boutwell was the dinner guest of Miss Lafargue Wise Sunday.

Miss Ellowayne Wise visited Miss Johnnie Mae Hurston Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lucile Tate of Birmingham has been spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Martin.

Mr. C. M. Martin was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Boutwell Sunday.

Miss Lafargue Wise was the spend-the-night guest of Miss Norma Boutwell Sunday night.

Mr. Sam Head had a birthday dinner Sunday. He was 52 years of age. All of his children, sisters and brothers were there.

Misses Peggy Folson and Nola Head were dinner guests of Miss Edna Head Sunday.

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Government A.A.A. payments of \$100 per farm earned by farmers for adopting soil building practices and reducing the acreage of cotton and other depleting crops was high in 1939 as compared to 1937, when they averaged \$37 per farm, and to 1935 when they averaged \$60 per farm, the economist pointed out.

Liles attributed the low income of the State's farmers largely to low yields caused by adverse weather. As a whole, he said, prices were favorable but the volume of production going to market was materially reduced.

He added that farmers as a group have less cash reserve in 1939 than in previous years. Careful planning to produce more necessities in the way of food and feed on the farm and wise expenditure of available money will be necessary to make smaller incomes cover the farm expenses.

PERDUE CLUB HAS MEETING

The Perdue Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, February 15, at the home of Mrs. Hattie Boutwell.

We were very glad to enroll four new members to our list. With the new members and two visitors, we had 16 present. The meeting was very interesting discussion on color and color schemes in clothing, with Miss Matthews in charge.

We also elected a bring demonstration leader, Mrs. R. E. Chapman.

Louise Houston, Reporter.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter of the Estate of M. V. R. Farris, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was duly appointed administrator of the estate of M. V. R. Farris, deceased, on February 15, 1940, by the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, and all persons having claims against said estate shall present the same within the making of the return and provided by law, else the same will be barred.

This 23rd day of February, 1940.

F. M. FARRIS, Administrator.

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THE ELBA CLIPPER

Thursday, February 28, 1940

Improved Uniform

SUNDAY

LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.

Dean of the Moody Bible Institute (Released by Western Newspaper Union)

Lesson for March 3

Lesson Subjects and Scripture Texts as listed and copyrighted by International Bible Society, Inc., 1939.

IN THE UPPER ROOM

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 26:17-29.

GOLDEN TEXT—1 Corinthians 11:24.

Men sometimes stand at the crossroads of destiny quite unaware of how much hinges upon their choices and actions. One wonders whether the disciples realized that as the Passover drew to its end and the great memorial feast of the new covenant was established, they were witnessing the end of the old and the beginning of the new. It is certain that he did realize the high importance of that hour. He knew He was about to go to the cross, toward which the Passover had pointed throughout the centuries and back to that cross we in the Lord's Supper continue to point as we remember His death until He comes.

We are indeed on holy ground as we go with Him then as He meets His disciples alone in that upper room. The King said with pointed emphasis to those who would watch the soul of mother exchange its burdened cross for a stately crown of glory. To let her go seemed more than our feeble hearts could bear, yet it was a happy hour for the night of God when she left the physical, afflicted body and took on the spiritual form—the likeness of God—and is now dwelling with loved ones in the Heavenly Home prepared for the Saints of the Lord.

The Lord lived a consecrated, Christian life which so beautifully manifested pureness in heart, and all that it had pointed to found its ultimate fulfillment in Him. He completed what a while ago had been the preparation. The final exodus came by the way of that cross to which He was going (Dr. G. Campbell Morgan).

The Betrayal Predicted (vv. 21-25).

What precious fellowship the twelve and their Lord must have had around that table in the upper room as they celebrated the great feast of the new covenant. It was a shock came to them as in the midst of this fellowship Jesus quietly and solemnly said to all along the line, "Verily, I say unto you, that one of you shall betray me."

Their joy was changed to exceedingly great sorrow as they asked, "Lord, is it I?" Apparently Judas had maintained such outward composure that no suspicion in his direction, even at that hour of the night, was directed against him. It is sad and soul-searching fact which is here revealed, that it is possible for one to maintain a high profession of faith in Christ and even so to live as to give no cause for criticism, and yet to be ungenerous and in fact the enemy of Christ.

Observe (v. 26) that while Jesus was being betrayed and went to the cross in fulfillment of prophecy, that fact did not make him any less the Son of God. He was the Son of God, and his enemies who brought it about were the enemies of God.

III. The First Communion (vv. 26-29).

Taking the unleavened bread and the unfermented wine, Jesus, over, which had just been observed by Him for the last time, Jesus established a new feast, the Christian feast of remembrance, which we commonly call "communion" or "the Lord's table."

As we have already suggested, it is a feast of remembrance. "For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup, ye do show the Lord's death till He come" (I Cor. 11:26).

At the Lord's table His followers find spiritual strength in remembering His death for them, and they also find joy as they remember that He is to come again. In doing so they testify to the world that they believe in and cherish these truths.

This feast is also rightly called "communion," for down through the ages and until He does come the saints of God have at His table sweet communion, first of all with Him, and then with one another.

We also note that our Lord spoke of the cup as "my blood of the new testament." The word "testament" means "covenant." The Lord's table therefore speaks of our allegiance to Him, of our loyalty to His Lord, and our devotion to His service. The Christian church therefore speaks of the communion service as a sacrament, a word taken from the Latin sacramentum, meaning "oath," and essentially an oath of allegiance.

His body was broken for us. His blood was shed for the remission of our sins. We are bought with a price. We are not our own. Therefore we are to glorify God with all that we have and are.

Examples Wanted

Whether in the home or in the church, exhortation to goodness is about the most idle waste of breath. People do not want exhortation. They want example—Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick.

The Home Town Paper Tells The Story.....

THE STATE OF ALABAMA MAY SPEND \$50,000 OR A MILLION TO TELL OF THE ADVANTAGES AND POSSIBILITIES OF THE STATE, BUT THE LOCAL NEWSPAPERS ARE THE BEST MIRRORS OF THE INDIVIDUAL COMMUNITIES.

THE LOCAL PAPER IS ONE OF THE FIRST THINGS A STRANGER CALLS TO GET WHEN HE VISITS A TOWN. IF THE PAPER IS FILLED WITH LIVE ADVS., THE VISITOR KNOWS THERE IS BUSINESS THERE. IF IT IS NOT, HE KNOWS IT MUST BE EITHER THAT THE HOME MERCHANTS HAVE BUT LITTLE TO SELL OR THAT THEY DOUBT THEIR OWN ABILITY TO SELL IT. THE INEVITABLE CONCLUSION IS THAT THE COMMUNITY IS EITHER DEAD OR HARD UP, AND IN NEITHER CASE ONE IN WHICH IT IS DESIRABLE TO LOCATE.

THIS IS NOT THEORY; IT IS A STATEMENT BASED ON MANY YEARS' ACTUAL CONTACT WITH PEOPLE WHO HAVE EXPRESSED THEMSELVES ALONG THE ABOVE LINES. THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER IS AN ACCURATE LOCAL BUSINESS BAROMETER, AND NO AMOUNT OF LITHOGRAPHED LITERATURE OR NATIONAL ADVERTISING WILL CHANGE THE IMPRESSION GIVEN BY IT. ITS ADVERTISING COLUMNS ARE A FAITHFUL RECORD OF ACTUAL CONDITIONS.

The Elba Clipper

"COFFEE'S LEADING NEWSPAPER"

PHOSPHATE OFFERED FARMERS OF ALABAMA

AUBURN, Ala.—New life can be given to Alabama's farm land through applications of triple superphosphate and limestone being offered as grant-of-aid under the agricultural conservation program, according to A. W. Jones, State A.A.A. administrative officer.

Triple superphosphate, supplying the vital element of phosphorus to the soil, and limestone, a neutralizing agent for acid soil, can be obtained without an immediate outlay of cash," he said.

The materials can be obtained when needed and deductions for this assistance will be made

Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. J. O. English is quite ill at her home on Rushing Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowe of Montgomery spent the weekend in Elba guests of Mrs. Betty Rowe and family.

WANT A TRUCK—Here's a good buy in a Chevrolet 1/2-ton Pick-Up Truck, new paint and motor runs good; a bargain at \$275.00. Dorsey Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Terry and son of Montgomery were guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Crook during the week.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harold English will be glad to learn that their little son is improving after a serious illness.

FOR SALE—One 1937 Ford "35" Coach, motor reconditioned and it is worth the price—only \$350.00. Dorsey Brothers.

Mrs. Milton O'Neal and little son, Milton, Jr., spent Sunday in Elba guests of Mrs. Betty Rowe and family.

—EAT AT— G. C. MALLORY'S PLACE

IN FRONT OF POOL ROOM

GOOD HOT MEALS AT ALL
HOURS OF THE DAY

Clean and Sanitary
IS OUR MOTTO

LET US SELL YOUR PEANUTS

We are installing a modern Peanut Shelter at our Gin Plant—one that will absolutely insure your peanuts without injuring them. Let us do this work for you. We also have some fine Seed Peanuts for sale.

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BLUFF SPRINGS NEWS

The people around Bluff Springs are glad the weather is better and not so cold.

We are glad Mrs. Vera Bryan is improving.

Mrs. Linton was called to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Norris, last Wednesday night. We are glad she is better.

Misses Violet and Essie Allen spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Bryan, and Gladys.

Mrs. Joe Lee Kendrick, Hazel, Cypriene and Gennie Bee Crocker and Shorty Hurd visited Mrs. Edna Willis Saturday night.

Misses Cypriene and Hazel Crocker visited Mrs. Martha Kendrick Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin B. Greenwood, Horace, Q. P., Myrtle and Gracey Hyams, Mattie Lee, Lela Mae, Robert and Noah Jones visited Mrs. Edna Willis Sunday night.

Miss Mattie Lee Jones spent Sunday with Miss Lela Mae Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Calhoun visited Mr. and Mrs. Sid Jones Saturday night.

Mr. Dennis Calhoun visited his father Sunday. We are sorry he is sick and hope he soon recovers.

Miss Nadine Bryan and Mr. Fred Kendrick visited Miss Lela Mae Bryan Sunday. We are glad she is improving. Hope her a speedy recovery.

Mr. John Walden is spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. Mattie Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fuller spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fuller, of Zion Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Matthews entertained a large crowd at a birthday dinner at their home Sunday.

Miss Ivey Grant and Edna Nell Kelley spent a while with Miss Laura Alice Willis Sunday.

Mrs. Bonnie Fay Goodson spent Saturday with Mrs. J. D. Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dyes spent Sunday with Mrs. Scourthout.

Mr. and Mrs. Edlow Kelley spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Kelley.

Miss Lela Mae Jones visited Miss Mildred Norris Sunday morning.

There will be a tea and refreshment meeting at Bluff Springs starting Sunday, March 3. Everybody is invited to attend all services.

SEE THIS ONE—Deluxe Town Sedan, new motor complete, new tires; and the price is only \$475.00. Dorsey Brothers.

Women Take Up Burdens of War

**Million Sign for Duty in
Britain; French Girls
Also Active.**

LONDON—More than 1,000,000 women volunteers are engaged in war work for Great Britain.

No matter where you go or when, you are likely to see in action some of the WATS, WAAPS, WRENS, or WAFs, not to mention the ladies of the Doreas society rolling bandages.

The WATS are the Women's Auxiliary Territorial service (Britain's Territorials or Terriers correspond to America's National Guard).

WAAP means Women Auxiliary Air force. The WRENS are the Women's Royal Naval service, and WAFS stands for Women's Auxiliary Fire service.

Few Frenchwomen in Uniform. In France, on the other hand, is a great semimilitary organization of women and there will be none.

Few of them are to be seen in uniform except in nurses' garb. No young girls have picked up rifles and gone with their brothers and their husbands to the front, like the Camerons of the Spanish civil war.

But each individual Frenchwoman, without leadership and without direction, has sought her place and taken it, and, thanks to her, when the war is over, the home and family will survive and whatever may be the means of subsistence for the family will be intact.

That up to the present point is the greatest work the women of France are doing in the war. It is the task of the women of France, under conditions and circumstances, which in France differ from those in Great Britain and in every other country involved by the war.

Later, if the drain upon French man power becomes great enough, other fields of activity will be opened to Frenchwomen, and they will be there ready and capable to do the work as it is needed.

They will drive ambulances, they will direct and manage the work of the war, they will be aviation pilots, truck drivers, chemists in the laboratories, interpreters, and what not. Such work, however, will never be highly organized, but will be undertaken by small groups of volunteers, already preparing for the call.

Substitute for Men. The vast mass of Frenchwomen will continue to work to keep the country running and to substitute for their husbands, their sons, and their brothers who are at war. They will be giving energy beyond their strength to keep agriculture, commerce, and industry going, and at the same time fulfilling the numerous tasks of social service required of them in times of such stress.

British women's war activities range from milking cows and making shell detonators to bandage rolling "bees" such as Queen Elizabeth holds each week at Buckingham palace.

The WATS, WRENS and the like are recruited from all ranks, including titled bluebloods, housewives, strip teasers, and glamour girls. They are recruited just as soldiers are, wear skirled versions of military uniforms, and for the most part observe the same discipline and live in the same kind of barracks to which the troops are accustomed.

Takes Long Journey to Read Epitaph on Grave SAINT JOHN, N. B.—A tombstone epitaph has sent Mrs. E. J. Chubbuck of Berkeley, Calif., on a journey of several thousand miles.

Mrs. Chubbuck, busily engaged in rounding up a lineal record of her forebears on Loyalist stock, found that the only record of the birth of her grandfather, Aaron Clark, was written on his tombstone.

It states that he "was born on the St. John river where the city of Saint John now stands."

Aaron Clark, son of a Baptist minister, George Clark, left New Brunswick in 1833 to settle in Drumbo, Ont., and later in 1855 moved to Michigan.

Mrs. Chubbuck is the wife of a retired publisher, and she and her husband came here in an effort to locate the tombstone.

Jews Ordered to Wear Armbands in Polish Area BERLIN—Jews in the Kalisch district of Poland, who fail to wear "Jew yellow" armbands or who leave their homes between five p. m. and eight a. m. may be punished with death, according to a Lutz German-language newspaper which reached Berlin recently.

The November 16 issue of the Deutsche Lotter Zeitung published a decree by the district president imposing the regulations and reporting that unlimited fines could be substituted for the death penalty in "special cases."

The same issue also revealed that a synagogue had burned on November 15, "but a fire brigade succeeded in preventing other buildings from catching fire."

Find Hunter Frozen to Death FAIRBANKS, ALASKA.—In 28 below zero weather, a searching party found the frozen body of John Degen, 29, who became separated from a hunting party.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR PROBATE JUDGE

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge of Coffee County, subject to the action of the democratic primary elections to be held in said county on May 7 and June 4, 1940.

To this end I will greatly appreciate your interest in my behalf for the bigger and the better things for Coffee County government.

(Paid political adv. by C. C. Peacock, New Brockton, Ala.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner from the Southwest District of Coffee County subject to the democratic primary elections to be held May 7 and June 4, 1940. I solicit and will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

(Paid pol. adv. authorized by L. F. YOUNG, Elba, Ala., Rt. 4.)

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Coffee County in the democratic primaries to be held May 7 and June 4, 1940. I solicit and will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

(Paid political adv. by J. Grady Hutchison, Enterprise, Ala.)

LITTLE GIRL DIES

Bertha Sue Queen, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Queen, died early Monday morning at the family residence in Birmingham after an illness of one week. Pneumonia is said to have been the cause of her death.

Besides the parents, surviving are two sisters and three brothers. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Walter Moody at New Home Church late Monday afternoon, with burial in the adjoining cemetery. Hayes Funeral Home was in charge.

Mrs. R. L. Cooper spent Wednesday of last week in Montgomery. She was accompanied home by daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Queen, who spent Thursday in Elba and Opp.

Mrs. J. M. Polson had as her guests for the week-end Mrs. Will Jordan of Birmingham, Miss Justina Beasley of Montgomery, Mrs. Cecil Polson and son, Fred, of Attalla, Carl Polson of Opelika, Fred Polson of Montgomery, Mrs. Charlie Ellis and children of Geneva and James Polson of Cullman.

A BARGAIN—1938 Chevrolet Deluxe Town Sedan at the low price of \$375.00. Dorsey Brothers.

RUDZU NEEDS TO BE STARTED SOON

AUBURN, Ala.—Farmers were told this week by crop specialists of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute that if kudzu is to be made a part of their farming operations this year, crowds should be set out soon while they are dormant.

While several hundred farmers had success last year in planting a small amount of kudzu seed and several hundred others will try it this year, setting of crowds still remains the most common method of starting an acreage in kudzu.

J. C. Lowrey, extension agronomist, is advising farmers to put some kudzu on a few acres of good, smooth land and utilize the triple-threat crop. Its advantages as a soil conservation crop, to prevent erosion, and also to furnish grazing have led many farmers to plant it on steep slopes and on eroded areas. Lowrey would like to see farmers make good use of kudzu as hay as well as an erosion control crop.

HYBRID CORN

The Alabama Experiment Station, in reply to numerous requests, announces that it has found no hybrid corn varieties for Alabama which will greatly outyield standard varieties. Hybrid corn now making such outstanding yields in the Corn Belt was bred for that territory and will not produce bumper crops in the South.

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Cathy is the old name for China.

PLEASANT RIDGE NEWS

Miss Valmer Lee Goodson was the week-end guest of Miss Mamie Lou Rachel.

Mr. Alfred Harrison spent the week-end with Mr. Lou Harrison. Mr. Cleo Taylor and children spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bazie Davis, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Littleton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Rachel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Marler and children and Mrs. Fannie Marler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodson and son.

Mrs. D. P. Goodson, Mr. W. H. Goodson spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Osburn.

Messrs. Malcolm Brooks and Collins Goodson were business visitors to Laverne Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clancy Nolin and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nolin and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Kelley and daughters and Mr. A. D. Shiver made a business trip to Brundidge Tuesday.

Messrs. Wilford and Howard Rachel spent Sunday with Messrs. R. D. and Coy Harrison.

Nadine Rachel spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Littleton.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our deepest appreciation to our friends and loved ones for their kindness and consideration during the trouble and death of our dear mother, Mrs. Frank Bullard. We feel that our loss is heaven's gain. May God bless each and every one.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bullard and Harry.
Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bullard and Children.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to the people of Elba and communities for their assistance, words of comfort and expressions of sympathy shown to our father and grandfather, Mr. S. S. Tucker, during his illness and to us at the time of his death. Especially do we appreciate the services rendered by Dr. W. C. Braswell and Dr. W. R. Crook.

HIS CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN

A BIG VALUE—1938 Chevrolet Master Town Sedan; let us show you this one; price is only \$450.00. Dorsey Brothers.

Mr. J. C. Fleming was a business visitor to Montgomery Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Terry and sons, Donald and James, Mrs. Dewey Arnold and daughter, Carolyn, of Montgomery were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitman during the first of the week.

Getting rid of scrubs among livestock is just as important as pulling up weeds in the garden.

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Our first flour customer will get a FREE 12-pound sack of Red Swan, and one out of every ten thereafter will get a Free Sack. TRADE EARLY!

SUGAR, 10 pounds..... 49c

COOKING OIL, gallon..... 75c

GREEN COFFEE, Top Grade, 1 lb... 12c
10 pounds..... \$1.00

BULK RICE, 4 pounds..... 19c

BABY LIMA BEANS, 2 pounds.... 15c

BLACK EYED PEAS, 2 pounds.... 15c

PINK SALMON, 2 cans..... 29c

FLAT SARDINES, 3 cans..... 13c

POTTED MEAT, 3 cans..... 10c

VIENNA SAUSAGE, 2 cans..... 15c

CATSUP, Gallon can..... 46c

CATSUP, 14-ounce bottle..... 10c

MUSTARD, quart..... 10c

MATCHES, 6 boxes..... 17c

MILNUT, so rich it will whip, 3 cans. 10c
One Case..... \$1.50

PIMENTO, 4 ounces, can..... 5c

PINEAPPLE, Large Sliced or Crushed, 2 cans..... 35c

PINEAPPLE, Small Sliced or Crushed, 2 cans..... 17c

BROOMS or MOPS, each..... 25c

OCTAGON SOAP, 6 large bars... 25c

SUPER SUDS, 2 boxes..... 17c

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